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To:

Director, Bureau of Budget and Management Research

From:

Director, Bureau of Budget and Management Research

Subject:

FY2018 Budget Ceiling

The Governor transmitted the FY2018 Executive Budget on January 31, 2017 to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. It includes revenue projections, funding allocations to the various departments/agencies, and others. Accordingly, your ceiling level by fund source is part of the Governor's submittal.

Delineated below is your department/agency ceiling level by fund source, as may be annotated. Please prepare your FY2018 Budget Request based on each ceiling amount using the format and guidelines provided by the Bureau per BBMR Circular No. 17-03 dated December 5, 2016 and BBMR Memorandum dated December 13, 2016. Each ceiling amount is for operational requirements, inclusive of local match requirements for federal programs:

General Fund:

\$ 1,286,244

Special Fund:

\$ 329,139 1/

Recurring or routine miscellaneous appropriations should not be included in your agency detail budget request, as such appropriations are not part of the budget ceiling level(s).

The Bureau emphasizes the importance of following the guidelines provided in order to facilitate the budget process. It is imperative that we work together to produce a complete and accurate budget within the prescribed timeframe.

Please submit one original agency budget request, one copy, and one Compact Disc (CD) copy of the electronic format (Excel for spreadsheets and Word for narratives). Upon review and clearance by the Bureau, you will be notified to reproduce the required number of copies for transmittal to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* for their disposition.

Your department/agency budget request is due to the Bureau no later than <u>Friday, February 17, 2017</u>. This deadline must be met to ensure timely submittal to *I Liheslaturan Guahan*.

Your usual cooperation is appreciated.

1/ Indirect Cost Fund